

March 20, 2008

Re: Group IV “Call for Projects”

This is to notify you that the Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) will be accepting applications for federal funds for road and bridge projects which are located outside the urbanized area of Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs). Each (1) county and (2) the eligible cities and towns (with a population less than 5,000) within the county have been assigned to one district. See the attached list for your assigned district.

You may complete and file your application “on-line” at our website (<https://netservices.indot.in.gov>). Please allow one week for approval of on-line enrollment, if you are not already enrolled. If you desire, you may contact the Local Programs Coordinator for your district to request a hardcopy of the application.

<u>District</u>	<u>Contact</u>	<u>Telephone</u>	<u>e-mail</u>
Crawfordsville	Joe Spear	(765) 361-5228	jspear@indot.in.gov
Fort Wayne	David Armstrong	(260) 969-8277	darmstrong@indot.in.gov
Greenfield	David Cox	(317) 467-3909	dcox@indot.in.gov
La Porte	Marcia Blansett	(219) 325-7564	mblansett@indot.in.gov
Seymour	Brandi Fischvogt	(812) 522-5649	bfischvogt@indot.in.gov
Vincennes	John Myers	(812) 895-7379	jomyers@indot.in.gov

Regardless of which method you use to apply, INDOT must receive your application(s) by midnight on May 21, 2008. If you elect to submit a hardcopy of an application, instead of using the website, please submit the application (one copy) to the District Local Programs Coordinator. An applicant may submit a maximum of 8 pages of supporting documents with each application.

An applicant may submit a maximum of one (1) new application in addition to applications requesting an increase for existing projects. Funds are available for new projects in federal fiscal year 2012 and beyond. The maximum award from this “Call” to any applicant for the Group IV program is \$3,000,000 in federal funds or the total amount available in its district, whichever is less. See page 9 of the procedure for Local Federal Aid Programs for eligibility criteria.

Applications from cities, counties, or towns which owe INDOT money which is more than 60 days past due will not be considered. An LPA which resolves its past due account will be eligible for award. The LPA may contact the appropriate INDOT District Local Programs Coordinator to discuss its past due account.

The following documents are posted on INDOT's website
(<http://www.in.gov/dot/div/legal/rfp/LPASection>):

1. Procedure for Local Federal Aid Programs.
2. Inventory of Group IV projects, including current amount of federal funds allocated.

Based upon the current inventory of Group IV projects and the amount of federal funds allocated to them, INDOT will award approximately \$25,000,000 in federal funds, which will be allocated by INDOT's geographical districts based on the population of the eligible Group IVs. The approximate amount available in each district is listed below.

<u>District</u>	<u>Federal Funds</u>
Crawfordsville	\$3,500,000
Fort Wayne	\$5,000,000
Greenfield	\$3,600,000
La Porte	\$3,800,000
Seymour	\$5,000,000
Vincennes	\$4,100,000

If you have any questions regarding the application process, please contact the Local Programs Coordinator for your district.

Sincerely,

Richard C. Whitney
Manager
Local Federal Aid Office